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TREASURY DEPARTMENT.

Bureau of Customs.

[T. D. 48707]

CUSTOMS REGULATIONS AMENDED—POWERS OF ATTORNEY— PROTESTS

To Collectors of Customs and Others Concerned:

Pursuant to authority contained in section 251, Revised Statutes (U. S. C., title 19, sec. 66) and section 624 of the Tariff Act of 1930 (U. S. C., title 19, sec. 1624), article 296 (a) and (d), and article 850, Customs Regulations of 1931, are hereby amended.

Article 296 (a) is amended by inserting the following as the second sentence in the paragraph:

However, a separate power of attorney (customs Form 5295) will be required for filing protests. (See art. 850.)

The second and third sentences of article 296 (d) are amended to read as follows:

Such power must recite the names of all members of the partnership and shall be limited to a period of not more than two years from the date of receipt of the power by the collector. When a new firm is formed by a change of membership, no power of attorney filed by the antecedent firm shall thereafter be recognized for any customs purpose.

Article 850 is amended to read as follows:

ART. 850. *Form of protest.*—(a) Protests (except protests by American manufacturers, producers, and wholesalers—see art. 871) shall be in duplicate and in writing, addressed to the collector, and signed by the party protesting, or his agent or attorney. A protest signed by an agent or attorney shall be rejected by the collector unless there is filed with the collector a power of attorney (customs Form 5295) authorizing such agent or attorney to make, sign, and file the protest or protests, which power shall be limited to a period not to exceed two years from the date thereof, and shall be acknowledged. Each protest shall show the addresses of the protestant and his agent or attorney, the entry number, importing vessel, date of arrival, and date of liquidation of the entry, and shall set forth distinctly and specifically in respect to each entry, payment, claim, or decision the reasons for the objection, citing the rate or rates of duty claimed to be applicable, and the paragraph or section of the law, if any, under which relief is claimed.

(b) Partnership powers of attorney to file protests may be executed by one member in the name of the partnership, provided said powers recite the names of all the members. Corporate powers of attorney to file protests shall be signed by a duly authorized officer of the corporation.

Customs Forms 5291 (Power of Attorney for Other Than Corporation) and 5293 (Corporation Power of Attorney) will be amended to eliminate the authority of the agent or attorney to make, file, and sign protests under section 514 of the Tariff Act of 1930. Customs Forms 5291, 5293, and 5295 will be available for distribution within approximately 90 days.

This decision will become effective on the expiration of 90 days after publication in the weekly Treasury Decisions.

[SEAL]

J. H. MOYLE,
Commissioner of Customs.

Approved, December 10, 1936.

WAYNE C. TAYLOR,
Acting Secretary of the Treasury.

[F. R. Doc. 3913—Filed, December 21, 1936; 4:00 p. m.]

[T. D. 48710]

AIRPORT OF ENTRY

DESIGNATION OF VIKING AIRPORT AND SEAPLANE BASE, MIAMI, FLORIDA, AS AN AIRPORT OF ENTRY REVOKED

To Collectors of Customs and Others Concerned:

Under the authority of section 7 (b) of the Air Commerce Act of 1926 (U. S. C., title 49, sec. 177 (b)), the designation of the Viking Airport and Seaplane Base, Miami, Florida, as an airport of entry for the landing of aircraft from foreign countries for a period of one year from May 16, 1936 (T. D. 48313)¹, is hereby revoked.

[SEAL]

J. H. MOYLE,
Commissioner of Customs.

Approved, December 16, 1936.

WAYNE C. TAYLOR,
Acting Secretary of the Treasury.

[F. R. Doc. 3914—Filed, December 21, 1936; 4:00 p. m.]

FEDERAL TRADE COMMISSION.

Commissioners: Charles H. March, Chairman; Garland S. Ferguson, Jr., Ewin L. Davis, W. A. Ayres, Robert E. Freer.

[File No. 21-285]

IN THE MATTER OF PROPOSED TRADE PRACTICE RULES FOR THE GASOLINE PUMP MANUFACTURING INDUSTRY

NOTICE OF OPPORTUNITY TO BE HEARD

This matter now being before the Federal Trade Commission under its Trade Practice Conference procedure, in pursuance of the Act of Congress approved September 26, 1914 (38 Stat. 717);

Opportunity is hereby extended by the Federal Trade Commission to any and all persons affected by or having an interest in the proposed trade practice rules for the Gasoline Pump Manufacturing Industry to present to the Commission their views upon the same, including suggestions or objec-

¹ 1 F. R. 473.



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tions, if any. For this purpose they may, upon application to the Commission, obtain copies of the proposed rules. Communications of such views should be made to the Commission not later than January 12th next. Opportunity for oral hearing will be afforded at 10 a. m., January 12, 1937, in the main hearing room, Federal Trade Commission Building, 815 Connecticut Avenue NW., Washington, D. C., to such persons as may desire to appear, and who have made prior written or telegraphic requests to be heard orally. All briefs or other communications received concerning the proposed rules will become part of the public record. After giving due consideration to such suggestions or objections as may be received concerning the rules proposed by the industry, the Commission will proceed to their final consideration.

By the Commission,

[SEAL]

OTIS B. JOHNSON, *Secretary*.

Entered December 21, 1936.

[F. R. Doc. 3915—Filed, December 22, 1936; 9:40 a. m.]

INTERSTATE COMMERCE COMMISSION.

ORDER

At a Session of the Interstate Commerce Commission, Division 5, held at its office in Washington, D. C., on the 10th day of December A. D. 1936.

[No. MC 661]

APPLICATION OF THE DENVER LOS ANGELES TRUCKING COMPANY FOR AUTHORITY TO OPERATE AS A COMMON CARRIER

In the Matter of the Application of The Denver Los Angeles Trucking Company, a Corporation of 1601-11 Wazee Street, Denver, Colo., for a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity (Form BMC 1). Authorizing Operation as a Common Carrier by Motor Vehicle in the Transportation of Commodities Generally, in Interstate Commerce, in the States of Colorado, New Mexico, Arizona, and California, Between Denver, Colo., and Los Angeles, Calif., via Tucson, Ariz.

A more detailed statement of route or routes (or territory) is contained in said application, copies of which are on file and may be inspected at the office of the Interstate Commerce Commission, Washington, D. C., or offices of the boards, commissions, or officials of the States involved in this application.

It appearing, That the above-entitled matter is one which the Commission is authorized by the Motor Carrier Act, 1935, to refer to an examiner:

It is ordered, That the above-entitled matter be, and it is hereby, referred to Examiner M. T. Corcoran for hearing on the 14th day of January A. D. 1937, at 10 o'clock a. m. (standard time), at the rooms of Public Utilities Commission of Colorado, Denver, Colo., and for recommendation of an appropriate order thereon accompanied by the reasons therefor:

It is further ordered, That notice of this proceeding be duly given;

And it is further ordered, That any party desiring to be notified of any change in the time or place of the said hearing (at his own expense if telegraphic notice becomes necessary) shall advise the Bureau of Motor Carriers of the Commission, Washington, D. C., to that effect by notice which must reach the said Bureau within 10 days from the date of service hereof and that the date of mailing of this notice shall be considered as the time when said notice is served.

By the Commission, division 5.

[SEAL]

GEORGE B. MCGINTY, *Secretary*.

[F. R. Doc. 3917—Filed, December 22, 1936; 12:06 p. m.]

ORDER

At a Session of the Interstate Commerce Commission, Division 5, held at its office in Washington, D. C., on the 10th day of December A. D. 1936.

[No. MC 2026]

APPLICATION OF S. N. DRUM FOR AUTHORITY TO OPERATE AS A COMMON CARRIER

In the Matter of the Application of S. N. Drum, Individual, Doing Business as Drum Motor Freight, of Box 380, Durango, Colo., for a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity (Form BMC 8), to Extend Its Present Operation Filed on Form BMC 1, Authorizing Operation as a Common Carrier by Motor Vehicle in the Transportation of Commodities Generally, in Interstate Commerce, in the States of Colorado, New Mexico, Arizona, and California, Between Durango, Colo., and Los Angeles, Calif.

A more detailed statement of route or routes (or territory) is contained in said application, copies of which are on file and may be inspected at the office of the Interstate Commerce Commission, Washington, D. C., or offices of the boards, commissions, or officials of the States involved in this application.

It appearing, That the above-entitled matter is one which the Commission is authorized by the Motor Carrier Act, 1935, to refer to an examiner:

It is ordered, That the above-entitled matter be, and it is hereby, referred to Examiner M. T. Corcoran for hearing on the 18th day of January A. D. 1937, at 10 o'clock a. m. (standard time), at the rooms of State Corporation Commission, of New Mexico, Santa Fe, N. Mex., and for recommendation of an appropriate order thereon accompanied by the reasons therefor:

It is further ordered, That notice of this proceeding be duly given:

And it is further ordered, That any party desiring to be notified of any change in the time or place of the said hearing (at his own expense if telegraphic notice becomes necessary) shall advise the Bureau of Motor Carriers of the Commission, Washington, D. C., to that effect by notice which must reach the said Bureau within 10 days from the date of service hereof and that the date of mailing of this notice shall be considered as the time when said notice is served. By the Commission, division 5.

[SEAL]

GEORGE B. MCGINTY, Secretary.

[F. R. Doc. 3918—Filed, December 22, 1936; 12:06 p. m.]

ORDER

At a Session of the Interstate Commerce Commission, Division 5, held at its office in Washington, D. C., on the 11th day of December A. D. 1936.

[No. MC 79650]

APPLICATION OF CHARLES E. SPITZ FOR AUTHORITY TO OPERATE AS A COMMON OR CONTRACT CARRIER

In the Matter of the Application of Charles E. Spitz, Individual, Doing Business as Arizona Motor Express, of 300 East Jefferson Street, Phoenix, Ariz., for a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity or Permit (Form BMC 1), Authorizing Operation as a Common or Contract Carrier by Motor Vehicle in the Transportation of Commodities Generally, in Interstate Commerce, in the States of Arizona, Colorado, New Mexico, and California, over the Following Routes

Route No. 1.—Between Los Angeles, Calif., and Phoenix, Ariz., via Yuma, Ariz.

Route No. 2.—Between Los Angeles, Calif., and Phoenix, Ariz., via Blythe, Calif.

Route No. 3.—Between Los Angeles, Calif., and Tucson, Ariz., via Yuma, Ariz.

Route No. 4.—Between Los Angeles, Calif., and Tucson, Ariz., via Blythe, Calif.

Route No. 5.—Between Los Angeles, Calif., and Denver, Colo., via Topock, Ariz., and Los Lunas, N. Mex.

Route No. 6.—Between Los Angeles, Calif., and Denver, Colo., via Blythe, Calif., and Los Lunas, N. Mex.

A more detailed statement of route or routes (or territory) is contained in said application, copies of which are on file and may be inspected at the office of the Interstate Commerce Commission, Washington, D. C., or offices of the boards, commissions, or officials of the States involved in this application.

It appearing, That the above-entitled matter is one which the Commission is authorized by the Motor Carrier Act, 1935, to refer to an Examiner:

It is ordered, That the above-entitled matter be, and it is hereby, referred to Examiner W. T. Croft for hearing on the 18th day of January A. D. 1937, at 10 o'clock a. m. (standard time), at the rooms of the California Railroad Commission, State Building, Los Angeles, Calif., and for recommendation of an appropriate order thereon accompanied by the reasons therefor:

It is further ordered, That notice of this proceeding be duly given:

And it is further ordered, That any party desiring to be notified of any change in the time or place of the said hearing (at his own expense if telegraphic notice becomes necessary) shall advise the Bureau of Motor Carriers of the Commission, Washington, D. C., to that effect by notice which must reach the said Bureau within 10 days from the date of service hereof and that the date of mailing of this notice shall be considered as the time when said notice is served.

By the Commission, division 5.

[SEAL]

GEORGE B. MCGINTY, Secretary.

[F. R. Doc. 3919—Filed, December 22, 1936; 12:06 p. m.]

[Fourth Section Application No. 16664]

TIN AND TIN ARTICLES TO GULF PORTS

DECEMBER 22, 1936.

The Commission is in receipt of the above-entitled and numbered application for relief from the long-and-short-haul provision of section 4 (1) of the Interstate Commerce Act.

Filed by: J. E. Tilford, Agent.

Commodities involved: Tin and tin articles, in carloads.

From: St. Louis, Mo., and East St. Louis, Ill.

To: Gulfport, Miss.

Grounds for relief: Market competition; port equalization.

Any interested party desiring the Commission to hold a hearing upon such application shall request the Commission in writing so to do within 15 days from the date of this notice; otherwise the Commission may proceed to investigate and determine the matters involved in such application without further or formal hearing.

By the Commission, division 2.

[SEAL]

GEORGE B. MCGINTY, Secretary.

[F. R. Doc. 3920—Filed, December 22, 1936; 12:06 p. m.]

[Fourth Section Application No. 16665]

SAND AND GRAVEL FROM ROME, N. Y.

DECEMBER 22, 1936.

The Commission is in receipt of the above-entitled and numbered application for relief from the long-and-short-haul provision of section 4 (1) of the Interstate Commerce Act.

Filed by: W. S. Curlett, Frank Van Ummersen, and B. T. Jones, Agents.

Commodities involved: Sand and gravel, in carloads.

From: Rome, N. Y.

To: Points in Official territory.

Grounds for relief: To maintain grouping.

Any interested party desiring the Commission to hold a hearing upon such application shall request the Commission in writing so to do within 15 days from the date of this notice; otherwise the Commission may proceed to investigate and determine the matters involved in such application without further or formal hearing.

By the Commission, division 2.

[SEAL]

GEORGE B. MCGINTY, Secretary.

[F. R. Doc. 3921—Filed, December 22, 1936; 12:07 p. m.]

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION.

United States of America—Before the Securities and Exchange Commission

At a regular session of the Securities and Exchange Commission held at its office in the City of Washington, D. C., on the 21st day of December A. D. 1936.

[File No. 46-23]

IN THE MATTER OF THE MIDDLE WEST CORPORATION

NOTICE OF AND ORDER FOR HEARING

An application having been duly filed with this Commission, by The Middle West Corporation, a registered holding company, pursuant to Section 10 (a) (1) of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935, for approval of the acquisition by it of 4,248½ shares of the common stock, par value \$1.00 per share, of United Public Service Corporation, a registered holding company, which said application contains, among others, the following statements: that said common stock is now owned by Middle West Utilities Company of Canada, Limited, a wholly-owned subsidiary company of the applicant; that said stock is to be acquired by the applicant for \$17,319.22 which represents cost to the vendor; and that such acquisition will increase the applicant's present ownership of capital stock of United Public Service Corporation from 48.65% to 50.0002% of the total amount outstanding;

It is ordered that a hearing on such matter be held on January 11, 1937, at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon of that day at Room 1101, Securities and Exchange Building, 1778 Pennsylvania Avenue NW., Washington, D. C.; and

Notice of such hearing is hereby given to said party and to any interested State, State commission, State securities commission, municipality, and any other political subdivision of a State, and to any representative of interested consumers or security holders, and any other person whose participation in such proceeding may be in the public interest or for the protection of investors or consumers. It is requested that any person desiring to be heard or to be admitted as a party to such proceeding shall file a notice to that effect with the Commission on or before January 6, 1937.

It is further ordered, That Robert P. Reeder, an officer of the Commission, be and he hereby is, designated to preside at such hearing, and authorized to adjourn said hearing from time to time, to administer oaths and affirmations, subpoena witnesses, compel their attendance, take evidence, and require the production of any books, papers, correspondence, memoranda, contracts, agreements, or other records deemed relevant or material to the inquiry, and to perform all other duties in connection therewith authorized by law.

Upon the completion of the taking of testimony in this matter, the officer conducting said hearing is directed to close the hearing and make his report to the Commission.

By the Commission.

[SEAL]

FRANCIS P. BRASSOR, *Secretary*.

[F. R. Doc. 3928—Filed, December 22, 1936; 12: 59 p. m.]

*United States of America—Before the Securities
and Exchange Commission*

At a regular session of the Securities and Exchange Commission, held at its office in the City of Washington, D. C., on the 11th day of December A. D. 1936.

[File No. 2-1955]

IN THE MATTER OF MANSUL CHEMICAL COMPANY

ORDER CONSENTING TO WITHDRAWAL OF REGISTRATION STATEMENT
ON REQUEST OF APPLICANT, AND DISMISSING STOP ORDER PRO-
CEEDINGS

The Commission, having due regard to the public interest and the protection of investors, upon the request of the registrant received on December 4, 1936, consents to the withdrawal of the registration statement of Mansul Chemical Company filed August 6, 1936; and, the said registration statement being so withdrawn, the Commission further dismisses a certain stop order proceeding under Section 8 (d) of the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, the said stop order proceeding having been heretofore on October 12, 1936, instituted and being until now pending with respect to the aforesaid

registration statement, and a hearing in the said proceeding having been held and closed; and to that effect

It is so ordered.

By direction of the Commission.

[SEAL]

FRANCIS P. BRASSOR, *Secretary*.

[F. R. Doc. 3923—Filed, December 22, 1936; 12:58 p. m.]

*United States of America—Before the Securities
and Exchange Commission*

At a regular session of the Securities and Exchange Commission, held at its offices in the City of Washington, D. C., on the 19th day of December 1936.

IN THE MATTER OF LYMAN HESS COMPANY, INC., 551 FIFTH
AVENUE, NEW YORK, NEW YORK

ORDER REVOKING REGISTRATION PURSUANT TO SECTION 15 (b) OF
THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934, AS AMENDED

Lyman Hess Company, Inc., a corporation organized under the laws of the State of New York and hereinafter called the registrant, having filed with the Commission on July 6, 1935, an application for registration on Form 1-M pursuant to Rule MA2 of the Commission's rules then governing over-the-counter markets; and the said registration having become effective on January 1, 1936, in accordance with the Commission's rules and regulations; and

The said registrant having become registered under Section 15 (b) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, by virtue of the provisions of Section 10 of the Act of Congress approved May 27, 1936, providing for the registration of over-the-counter brokers and dealers; and

The Commission having reasonable grounds to believe that the said registrant is presently enjoined by a decree of the Supreme Court of the State of New York in and for the County of New York, entered on October 19, 1936, from engaging in and continuing certain practices in connection with the sale of securities; and having ordered that a hearing be held for the purpose of determining whether grounds exist for the revocation of the said registration under section 15 (b) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended; and the said registrant after due notice and opportunity for hearing having consented to the revocation thereof; and the Commission having duly considered the matter and being fully advised in the premises;

It is ordered pursuant to Section 15 (b) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, that the registration of Lyman Hess Company, Inc., as a broker or dealer transacting business on over-the-counter markets be and the same is hereby revoked.

By the Commission.

[SEAL]

FRANCIS P. BRASSOR, *Secretary*.

[F. R. Doc. 3922—Filed, December 22, 1936; 12:58 p. m.]

*United States of America—Before the Securities
and Exchange Commission*

At a regular session of the Securities and Exchange Commission held at its office in the City of Washington, D. C., on the 21st day of December A. D. 1936.

IN THE MATTER OF AN OFFERING SHEET OF A ROYALTY INTEREST
IN THE STANOLIND-AMERADA-BIERSCHENK FARM, FILED ON
NOVEMBER 24, 1936, BY GEORGE C. CREAGER, INC., RESPONDENT

ORDER TERMINATING PROCEEDING AFTER AMENDMENT

The Securities and Exchange Commission, finding that the offering sheet filed with the Commission, which is the subject of this proceeding, has been amended, so far as

¹ 1 F. R. 1878, 2038.

necessary, in accordance with the Suspension Order previously entered in this proceeding;¹

It is ordered, pursuant to Rule 341 (d) of the Commission's General Rules and Regulations under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, that the amendment received at the office of the Commission on December 16, 1936, be effective as of December 16, 1936; and

It is further ordered that the Suspension Order, Order for Hearing, and Order Designating a Trial Examiner, heretofore entered in this proceeding, be and the same hereby are revoked and the said proceeding terminated.

By the Commission.

[SEAL]

FRANCIS P. BRASSOR, *Secretary*.

[F. R. Doc. 3929—Filed, December 22, 1936; 12:59 p. m.]

United States of America—Before the Securities and Exchange Commission

At a regular session of the Securities and Exchange Commission held at its office in the City of Washington, D. C., on the 21st day of December A. D. 1936.

IN THE MATTER OF AN OFFERING SHEET OF A ROYALTY INTEREST IN THE LARKIN & WARR-FRISCO FARM, FILED ON DECEMBER 14, 1936, BY R. E. PITTS, RESPONDENT

SUSPENSION ORDER, ORDER FOR HEARING (UNDER RULE 340 (A)), AND ORDER DESIGNATING TRIAL EXAMINER

The Securities and Exchange Commission, having reasonable grounds to believe, and therefore alleging, that the offering sheet described in the title hereof and filed by the respondent named therein is incomplete or inaccurate in the following material respects, to wit:

1. In that the computation in Item 1 of Division II, indicating the production necessary to entitle the owner of each smallest fractional interest to one barrel of oil, is miscalculated;

2. In that Items 16 (c) and 16 (d) of Division II are miscalculated based upon Item 1;

It is ordered, pursuant to Rule 340 (a) of the Commission's General Rules and Regulations under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, that the effectiveness of the filing of said offering sheet be, and hereby is, suspended until the 20th day of January 1937, that an opportunity for hearing be given to the said respondent for the purpose of determining the material completeness or accuracy of the said offering sheet in the respects in which it is herein alleged to be incomplete or inaccurate, and whether the said order of suspension shall be revoked or continued; and

It is further ordered that Charles S. Lobingier, an officer of the Commission be, and hereby is, designated as trial examiner to preside at such hearing, to continue or adjourn the said hearing from time to time, to administer oaths and affirmations, subpoena witnesses, compel their attendance, take evidence, consider any amendments to said offering sheet as may be filed prior to the conclusion of the hearing, and require the production of any books, papers, correspondence, memoranda, or other records deemed relevant or material to the inquiry, and to perform all other duties in connection therewith authorized by law; and

It is further ordered that the taking of testimony in this proceeding commence on the 4th day of January 1937, at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of the Securities and Exchange Commission, 18th Street and Pennsylvania Avenue, Washington, D. C., and continue thereafter at such times and places as said examiner may designate.

Upon the completion of testimony in this matter the examiner is directed to close the hearing and make his report to the Commission.

By the Commission.

[SEAL]

FRANCIS P. BRASSOR, *Secretary*.

[F. R. Doc. 3926—Filed, December 22, 1936; 12:59 p. m.]

¹ F. R. 2490.

United States of America—Before the Securities and Exchange Commission

At a regular session of the Securities and Exchange Commission held at its office in the City of Washington, D. C., on the 21st day of December A. D. 1936.

IN THE MATTER OF AN OFFERING SHEET OF A ROYALTY INTEREST IN THE SHELL-MURPHY FARM, FILED ON DECEMBER 14, 1936, BY R. E. PITTS, RESPONDENT

SUSPENSION ORDER, ORDER FOR HEARING (UNDER RULE 340 (A)), AND ORDER DESIGNATING TRIAL EXAMINER

The Securities and Exchange Commission, having reasonable grounds to believe, and therefore alleging, that the offering sheet described in the title hereof and filed by the respondent named therein is incomplete or inaccurate in the following material respects, to wit:

(1) In that the date in Division I when the information contained in the sheet will be out of date is miscalculated, based on Exhibit A.

(2) In that Exhibit A shows that Shell is the operator on this tract. If that is true, Items 1 and 3, Division II, appear to be wrong.

(3) In that the text of Item 3, Division II, is omitted.

(4) In that Item 6 (a), Division II, appears in conflict with Item 6 (b), Division II.

(5) In that Item 10 (c), Division II, is nonresponsive.

(6) In that Exhibit B does not clearly show whether it conveys an interest in minerals or in the fee.

(7) In that Item 8, Division II, is incomplete.

(8) In that Exhibit A does not correctly show the total depth of the Gulf Lindsay well.

It is ordered, pursuant to Rule 340 (a) of the Commission's General Rules and Regulations under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, that the effectiveness of the filing of said offering sheet be, and hereby is, suspended until the 20th day of January 1937, that an opportunity for hearing be given to the said respondent for the purpose of determining the material completeness or accuracy of the said offering sheet in the respects in which it is herein alleged to be incomplete or inaccurate, and whether the said order of suspension shall be revoked or continued; and

It is further ordered that Charles S. Lobingier, an officer of the Commission, be and hereby is designated as trial examiner to preside at such hearing, to continue or adjourn the said hearing from time to time, to administer oaths and affirmations, subpoena witnesses, compel their attendance, take evidence, consider any amendments to said offering sheet as may be filed prior to the conclusion of the hearing, and require the production of any books, papers, correspondence, memoranda, or other records deemed relevant or material to the inquiry, and to perform all other duties in connection therewith authorized by law; and

It is further ordered that the taking of testimony in this proceeding commence on the 4th day of January 1937 at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of the Securities and Exchange Commission, 18th Street and Pennsylvania Avenue, Washington, D. C., and continue thereafter at such times and places as said examiner may designate.

Upon the completion of testimony in this matter the examiner is directed to close the hearing and make his report to the Commission.

By the Commission.

[SEAL]

FRANCIS P. BRASSOR, *Secretary*.

[F. R. Doc. 3925—Filed, December 22, 1936; 12:58 p. m.]

United States of America—Before the Securities and Exchange Commission

At a regular session of the Securities and Exchange Commission held at its office in the City of Washington, D. C., on the 21st day of December A. D. 1936.

IN THE MATTER OF AN OFFERING SHEET OF A ROYALTY INTEREST
IN THE SKELLY-BERNSTEIN-SELF FARM, FILED ON DECEMBER
14, 1936, BY R. E. PITTS, RESPONDENT

SUSPENSION ORDER, ORDER FOR HEARING (UNDER RULE 340 (A)),
AND ORDER DESIGNATING TRIAL EXAMINER

The Securities and Exchange Commission, having reasonable grounds to believe, and therefore alleging, that the offering sheet described in the title hereof and filed by the respondent named therein is incomplete or inaccurate in the following material respects, to wit:

(1) In that the date in Division I when the information contained in the sheet will be out of date is miscalculated, based on Exhibit A.

(2) In that it appears from Item 3 (a), Division II, that the lease has expired.

(3) In that Item 3 (c), Division II, is not responsive.

(4) In that Items 3 (c), ii to vi, are omitted.

(5) In that Item 6 (a), Division II, appears in conflict with Item 6 (b), Division II.

(6) In that the text is omitted from Items 18 (a) and 18 (b), Division II. (This item could have been omitted in view of Item 17.)

(7) In that the signature at the end of Division II is undated.

(8) In that Item 13 and the location shown on the tract, Exhibit A, are in conflict.

(9) In that Exhibit B does not clearly show whether it conveys an interest in minerals or in the fee.

(10) In that Item 8, Division II, is incomplete.

(11) In that Exhibit A does not correctly show the total depth of the Gulf Lindsay well.

It is ordered, pursuant to Rule 340 (a) of the Commission's General Rules and Regulations under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, that the effectiveness of the filing of said offering sheet be, and hereby is, suspended until the 20th day of January 1937 that an opportunity for hearing be given to the said respondent for the purpose of determining the material completeness or accuracy of the said offering sheet in the respects in which it is herein alleged to be incomplete or inaccurate, and whether the said order of suspension shall be revoked or continued; and

It is further ordered that Charles S. Lobingier, an officer of the Commission be, and hereby is, designated as trial examiner to preside at such hearing, to continue or adjourn the said hearing from time to time, to administer oaths and affirmations, subpoena witnesses, compel their attendance, take evidence, consider any amendments to said offering sheet as may be filed prior to the conclusion of the hearing, and require the production of any books, papers, correspondence, memoranda, or other records deemed relevant or material to the inquiry, and to perform all other duties in connection therewith authorized by law; and

It is further ordered that the taking of testimony in this proceeding commence on the 4th day of January 1937 at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of the Securities and Exchange Commission, 18th Street and Pennsylvania Avenue, Washington, D. C., and continue thereafter at such times and places as said examiner may designate.

Upon the completion of testimony in this matter the examiner is directed to close the hearing and make his report to the Commission.

By the Commission.

[SEAL]

FRANCIS P. BRASSOR, *Secretary*.

[P. R. Doc. 3927—Filed, December 22, 1936; 12:59 p. m.]

*United States of America—Before the Securities
and Exchange Commission*

At a regular session of the Securities and Exchange Commission held at its office in the City of Washington, D. C., on the 21st day of December A. D. 1936.

IN THE MATTER OF AN OFFERING SHEET OF A ROYALTY INTEREST
IN THE SINCLAIR-SLICK-GORDON FARM, FILED ON DECEMBER
14, 1936, BY R. E. PITTS, RESPONDENT

SUSPENSION ORDER, ORDER FOR HEARING (UNDER RULE 340 (A)),
AND ORDER DESIGNATING TRIAL EXAMINER

The Securities and Exchange Commission, having reasonable grounds to believe, and therefore alleging, that the offering sheet described in the title hereof and filed by the respondent named therein is incomplete or inaccurate in the following material respects, to wit:

(1) In that the date in Division I when the information contained in the sheet will be out of date is miscalculated, based on Exhibit A.

(2) In that Item 3 (a), Division II, appears to contain a typographical error.

(3) In that Item 3 (b), Division II, states there is one lease; plat indicates two leases.

(4) In that Item 6 (a), Division II, appears in conflict with Item 6 (b), Division II. W. W. Gordon is not included in Item 2 (d) as one of the principal owners of record.

(5) In that Item 10 (d), Division II, is not responsive.

(6) In that Exhibit B does not clearly show whether it conveys an interest in minerals or in the fee.

(7) In that Item 8, Division II, is incomplete.

(8) In that Exhibit A does not correctly show the total depth of the Gulf Lindsay well.

(9) In that in certain other respects the sheet seems to be inaccurate.

It is ordered, pursuant to Rule 340 (a) of the Commission's General Rules and Regulations under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, that the effectiveness of the filing of said offering sheet be, and hereby is, suspended until the 20th day of January 1937, that an opportunity for hearing be given to the said respondent for the purpose of determining the material completeness or accuracy of the said offering sheet in the respects in which it is herein alleged to be incomplete or inaccurate, and whether the said order of suspension shall be revoked or continued; and

It is further ordered that Charles S. Lobingier, an officer of the Commission, be and hereby is designated as trial examiner to preside at such hearing, to continue or adjourn the said hearing from time to time, to administer oaths and affirmations, subpoena witnesses, compel their attendance, take evidence, consider any amendments to said offering sheet as may be filed prior to the conclusion of the hearing, and require the production of any books, papers, correspondence, memoranda, or other records deemed relevant or material to the inquiry, and to perform all other duties in connection therewith authorized by law; and

It is further ordered that the taking of testimony in this proceeding commence on the 4th day of January 1937 at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of the Securities and Exchange Commission, 18th Street and Pennsylvania Avenue, Washington, D. C., and continue thereafter at such times and places as said examiner may designate.

Upon the completion of testimony in this matter the examiner is directed to close the hearing and make his report to the Commission.

By the Commission.

[SEAL]

FRANCIS P. BRASSOR, *Secretary*.

[P. R. Doc. 3924—Filed, December 22, 1936; 12:58 p. m.]

UNITED STATES TARIFF COMMISSION.

[Docket No. 11; Section 337, Tariff Act of 1930]

PUBLIC NOTICE

POSTPONEMENT OF HEARING ON CIGAR LIGHTERS

In the Matter of Investigation of Alleged Unfair Methods of Competition or Unfair Acts in the Importation or Sale of Cigar Lighters

The United States Tariff Commission on this 21st day of December 1936 announces that in compliance with the re-

quest of parties interested the public hearing heretofore set in this investigation to be held on January 7, 1937,¹ is hereby postponed until February 2, 1937.

By order of the United States Tariff Commission this 21st day of December 1936.

[SEAL]

SIDNEY MORGAN, *Secretary*.

[F. R. Doc. 3916—Filed, December 23, 1936; 9:58 a. m.]

EXECUTIVE ORDER

REGULATIONS GOVERNING THE PREPARATION, PRESENTATION, FILING, AND DISTRIBUTION OF EXECUTIVE ORDERS AND PROCLAMATIONS

By virtue of and pursuant to the authority vested in me by the Federal Register Act, approved July 26, 1935 (49 Stat. 500), and as President of the United States, I hereby prescribe the following regulations governing the preparation, presentation, filing, and distribution of Executive orders and proclamations:

1. Proposed Executive orders and proclamations shall be prepared in accordance with the following requirements:

(a) A suitable title for the order or proclamation shall be provided.

(b) The authority under which the order or proclamation is promulgated shall be cited in the body thereof.

(c) Punctuation, capitalization, orthography, and other matters of style shall conform to the most recent edition of the Style Manual of the United States Government Printing Office.

(d) The spelling of geographic names shall conform to the most recent official decisions made pursuant to Executive Orders No. 27-A, of September 4, 1890, No. 399, of January 23, 1906, and No. 6680, of April 17, 1934.

(e) Descriptions of tracts of lands shall conform, so far as practicable, with the most recent edition of the Specifications for Descriptions of Tracts of Land for Use in Executive Orders and Proclamations, published by the Federal Board of Surveys and Maps.

(f) Proposed Executive orders and proclamations shall be typewritten on paper approximately 8 by 12½ inches, shall have a left-hand margin of approximately 2 inches and a right-hand margin of approximately 1 inch, and shall be double-spaced, except that quotations, tabulations, or descriptions of land may be single-spaced.

2. The proposed Executive order or proclamation shall first be submitted to the Director of the Bureau of the Budget.

If the Director of the Bureau of the Budget approves it, he shall transmit it to the Attorney General for his consideration as to both form and legality. If the Attorney General approves it, he shall transmit it to the Director of the Division of the Federal Register, the National Archives. If it conforms to the requirements of paragraph 1 hereof, the Director of the Division of the Federal Register shall transmit it and three copies thereof to the President. If it is disapproved by the Director of the Bureau of the Budget or the Attorney General, it shall not thereafter be presented to the President unless it is accompanied by the statement of the reasons for such disapproval.

3. If the order or proclamation is signed by the President, the original and two copies thereof shall be forwarded to the Director of the Division of the Federal Register for appropriate action in conformity with the provisions of the Federal Register Act: *Provided, however*, That the seal of the United States shall be affixed to the originals of all proclamations prior to such forwarding. The Division of the Federal Register shall cause to be placed upon the copies of all Executive orders and proclamations the following notation, to be signed by the Director or by some person authorized by him: "Certified to be a true copy of the original." The Division of the Federal Register shall number and shall supervise the promulgation, publication, and distribution of all Executive orders and proclamations.

4. The Division of the Federal Register shall cause a limited number of copies of the Executive orders and proclamations not required or authorized to be filed and published under the provisions of the Federal Register Act to be made available in slip form to the appropriate agencies of the Government.

5. The Division of the Federal Register shall file in the National Archives the originals of all Executive orders and proclamations.

6. The signed originals and copies of all Executive orders and proclamations heretofore promulgated and now in the custody of the Department of State shall be transferred to the National Archives.

7. Nothing in this order shall be construed to apply to treaties, conventions, protocols, and other international agreements, or proclamations thereof by the President.

8. This order shall become effective on March 12, 1936, and shall thereupon supersede Executive Order No. 6247, of August 10, 1933.

FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT

THE WHITE HOUSE,
February 18, 1936.

[No. 72981]

¹ 1 F. R. 2157.

